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October 29, 2014

VIA CERTIFIED MAIL  
RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Floyd Cole, Owner  
Ray Cole, Manager  
Cole Brothers Auto Wrecking  
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DEPT. OF JUSTICE - ENRD  
ENVIRONMENT DIVISION  
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**Re: Notice of Violation and Intent to File Suit under the Clean Water Act**

Dear Mssrs. Cole:

I am writing on behalf of San Francisco Baykeeper ("Baykeeper") to give notice that Baykeeper intends to file a civil action against Cole Brothers Auto Wrecking ("Cole") for violations of the federal Clean Water Act, 33 U.S.C. § 1251 *et seq.* ("CWA") at Cole's facility located at 1797 12th St., Oakland, California (the "Facility").

Baykeeper is a non-profit public benefit corporation organized under the laws of California, with its office in San Francisco, California. Baykeeper's purpose is to preserve, protect, and defend the environment, wildlife, and natural resources of San Francisco Bay, its tributaries, and other waters in the Bay Area, for the benefit of local communities. Baykeeper has over two thousand members who use and enjoy San Francisco Bay and other waters for various recreational, educational, and spiritual purposes. Baykeeper's members' use and enjoyment of these waters are negatively affected by the pollution caused by Cole's operations.

This letter addresses Cole's unlawful discharge of pollutants from the Facility via stormwater into the San Francisco Bay. Specifically, Baykeeper's investigation of the Facility has uncovered significant, ongoing, and continuous violations of the CWA and the National Pollution Discharge Elimination System ("NPDES") General Permit No. CAS000001 [State Water Resources Control Board] Water Quality Order No. 92-12-DWQ, as amended by Order No. 97-03-DWQ ("Industrial Stormwater Permit").<sup>1</sup>

CWA section 505(b) requires that sixty (60) days prior to the initiation of a civil

<sup>1</sup> On April 1, 2014, the State Water Resources Control Board adopted an updated NPDES General Permit for Discharges Associated with Industrial Activity, Water Quality Order No. 2014-57-DWQ, which has no force or effect until its effective date of July 1, 2015. As of the effective date, Water Quality Order No. 2014-57-DWQ will supersede and rescind the current Industrial Stormwater Permit except for purposes of enforcement actions brought pursuant to the current permit.



action under CWA section 505(a), a citizen must give notice of his or her intent to file suit. 33 U.S.C. § 1365. Notice must be given to the alleged violator, the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency ("EPA"), and the State in which the violations occur. As required by section 505(b), this Notice of Violation and Intent to File Suit provides notice to Cole of the violations that have occurred and which continue to occur at the Facility. After the expiration of sixty (60) days from the date of this Notice of Violation and Intent to File Suit, Baykeeper intends to file suit in federal court against Cole under CWA section 505(a) for the violations described more fully below.

During the 60-day notice period, Baykeeper is willing to discuss effective remedies for the violations noticed in this letter. We suggest that Cole contact us within the next twenty (20) days so that these discussions may be completed by the conclusion of the 60-day notice period. Please note that we do not intend to delay the filing of a complaint in federal court, and service of the complaint shortly thereafter, even if discussions are continuing when the notice period ends.

## **I. THE LOCATION OF THE ALLEGED VIOLATIONS.**

### **A. The Facility.**

Cole's Facility is located at 1797 12th Street in Oakland, California. At the Facility, Cole dismantles vehicles for the resale of used parts. Potential pollutants that may come in contact with stormwater include the following: waste oils; waste antifreeze coolant; grease; battery acid and residual lead; sediments; and heavy metals such as aluminum, copper, iron, lead, and zinc. The Facility has one designated stormwater discharge point, and stormwater discharges into the Oakland municipal separate storm sewer system ("MS4"), which drains to San Francisco Bay.

### **B. The Affected Water.**

San Francisco Bay is a water of the United States. The CWA requires that water bodies such as San Francisco Bay meet water quality objectives that protect specific "beneficial uses." The beneficial uses of San Francisco Bay and its tributaries include commercial and sport fishing, estuarine habitat, fish migration, navigation, preservation of rare and endangered species, water contact and non-contact recreation, shellfish harvesting, fish spawning, and wildlife habitat. Contaminated stormwater from the Facility adversely affects the water quality of the San Francisco Bay watershed and threatens the ecosystem of this watershed, which includes significant habitat for listed rare and endangered species.

## **II. THE ACTIVITIES AT THE FACILITY CONSTITUTE VIOLATIONS OF THE CLEAN WATER ACT.**

It is unlawful to discharge pollutants to waters of the United States, such as San Francisco Bay, without an NPDES permit or in violation of the terms and conditions of an NPDES permit. CWA § 301(a), 33 U.S.C. § 1311(a); *see also* CWA § 402(p), 33



U.S.C. § 1342(p) (requiring NPDES permit issuance for the discharge of stormwater associated with industrial activities). The Industrial Stormwater Permit authorizes certain discharges of stormwater, conditioned on compliance with its terms.

In 1995, Cole submitted a Notice of Intent ("NOI") to be authorized to discharge stormwater from the Facility under the Industrial Stormwater Permit. However, information available to Baykeeper indicates that stormwater discharges from the Facility have violated several terms of the Industrial Stormwater Permit, thereby violating the CWA. *Id.* Apart from discharges that comply with the Industrial Stormwater Permit, the Facility lacks NPDES permit authorization for any other discharges of pollutants into waters of the United States.

#### **A. Discharges in Excess of BAT/BCT Levels.**

The Effluent Limitations of the Industrial Stormwater Permit prohibit the discharge of pollutants from the Facility in concentrations above the level commensurate with the application of best available technology economically achievable ("BAT") for toxic pollutants<sup>2</sup> and best conventional pollutant control technology ("BCT") for conventional pollutants.<sup>3</sup> Industrial Stormwater Permit, Order Part B(3). The EPA has published Benchmark values set at the maximum pollutant concentration present if an industrial facility is employing BAT and BCT, as listed in Attachment 1 to this letter.<sup>4</sup>

Cole's self-reported exceedances of Benchmark values over the last five (5) years, identified in Attachment 2 to this letter, indicate that Cole has failed and is failing to employ measures that constitute BAT and BCT in violation of the requirements of the Industrial Stormwater Permit. Baykeeper alleges and notifies Cole that its stormwater discharges from the Facility have consistently contained and continue to contain levels of pollutants that exceed Benchmark values for copper, zinc, and lead.

Cole's ongoing discharges of stormwater containing levels of pollutants above EPA Benchmark values and BAT- and BCT-based levels of control also demonstrate that Cole has not developed and implemented sufficient Best Management Practices ("BMPs") at the Facility. Proper BMPs could include, but are not limited to, moving certain pollution-generating activities under cover or indoors, capturing and effectively filtering or otherwise treating all stormwater prior to discharge, frequent sweeping to

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<sup>2</sup> BAT is defined at 40 C.F.R. § 442.23. Toxic pollutants are listed at 40 C.F.R. § 401.15 and include copper, lead, and zinc, among others.

<sup>3</sup> BCT is defined at 40 C.F.R. § 442.22. Conventional pollutants are listed at 40 C.F.R. § 401.16 and include BOD, TSS, oil and grease, pH, and fecal coliform.

<sup>4</sup> The Benchmark values are part of EPA's Multi-Sector General Permit ("MSGP") and can be found at: [http://www.epa.gov/npdes/pubs/msgp2008\\_finalpermit.pdf](http://www.epa.gov/npdes/pubs/msgp2008_finalpermit.pdf). See 73 Fed. Reg. 56,572 (Sept. 29, 2008) (Final National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) General Permit for Stormwater Discharges From Industrial Activities). In the latest version of the permit, EPA has proposed the inclusion of Benchmark values for facilities that discharge into saltwater, which can be found at: [http://water.epa.gov/polwaste/npdes/stormwater/upload/msgp2013\\_proposedpermit8.pdf](http://water.epa.gov/polwaste/npdes/stormwater/upload/msgp2013_proposedpermit8.pdf). See 78 Fed. Reg. 59,672 (Sept. 27, 2013) (Draft National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) General Permit for Stormwater Discharges From Industrial Activities).



reduce the build-up of pollutants on-site, installing filters in downspouts and storm drains, and other similar measures.

Cole's failure to develop and/or implement adequate pollution controls to meet BAT and BCT at the Facility violates and will continue to violate the CWA and the Industrial Stormwater Permit each and every day Cole discharges stormwater without meeting BAT/BCT. Baykeeper alleges that Cole has discharged stormwater containing excessive levels of pollutants from the Facility to San Francisco Bay during at least every significant local rain event over 0.1 inches in the last five (5) years.<sup>5</sup> Attachment 3 compiles all dates in the last five (5) years when a significant rain event occurred. Cole is subject to civil penalties for each violation of the Industrial Stormwater Permit and the CWA within the past five (5) years.

#### **B. Discharges Impairing Receiving Waters.**

The Industrial Stormwater Permit's Discharge Prohibitions disallow stormwater discharges that cause or threaten to cause pollution, contamination, or nuisance. *See* Industrial Stormwater Permit, Order Part A(2). The Industrial Stormwater Permit also prohibits stormwater discharges to surface or groundwater that adversely impact human health or the environment. *Id.* at Order Part C(1). Receiving Water Limitations of the Industrial Stormwater Permit prohibit stormwater discharges that cause or contribute to an exceedance of applicable Water Quality Standards ("WQS"). *Id.* at Order Part C(2). Applicable WQS are set forth in the California Toxics Rule ("CTR")<sup>6</sup> and Chapter 3 of the San Francisco Bay Basin (Region 2) Water Quality Control Plan ("Basin Plan").<sup>7</sup> *See* Attachment 1. Exceedances of WQS are violations of the Industrial Stormwater Permit, the CTR, and the Basin Plan.

The Basin Plan establishes WQS for San Francisco Bay and its tributaries, including but not limited to the following:

- Waters shall not contain substances in concentrations that result in the deposition of material that cause nuisance or adversely affect beneficial uses.
- Waters shall not contain suspended material in concentrations that cause nuisance or adversely affect beneficial uses.
- Waters shall be free of changes in turbidity that cause nuisance or adversely affect beneficial uses. Increases from normal background light penetration

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<sup>5</sup> Significant local rain events are reflected in the rain gauge data available at: <http://cdec.water.ca.gov>, <http://lwf.ncdc.noaa.gov/oa/ncdc.html>, and <http://www.ncdc.noaa.gov/IPS/hpd/hpd.html> (Last accessed on 10/29/14).

<sup>6</sup> The CTR is set forth at 40 C.F.R. § 131.38 and is explained in the Federal Register preamble accompanying the CTR promulgation set forth at 65 Fed. Reg. 31,682 (May 18, 2000).

<sup>7</sup> The Basin Plan is published by the San Francisco Bay Regional Water Quality Control Board at: [http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/sanfranciscobay/basin\\_planning.shtml#2004basinplan](http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/sanfranciscobay/basin_planning.shtml#2004basinplan) (Last accessed on 10/29/14).

or turbidity relatable to waste discharge shall not be greater than 10 percent in areas where natural turbidity is greater than 50 NTU.

- All waters shall be maintained free of toxic substances in concentrations that are lethal to or that produce other detrimental responses in aquatic organisms.
- Surface waters shall not contain concentrations of chemical constituents in amounts that adversely affect any designated beneficial use. The Basin Plan, Table 3-3, identifies specific marine water quality objectives for toxic pollutants,<sup>8</sup> and Table 3-4 identifies specific fresh water quality objectives for toxic pollutants.<sup>9</sup>

Baykeeper alleges that Cole's stormwater discharges have caused or contributed to exceedances of the WQS set forth in the Basin Plan and California Toxics Rule. These allegations are based on Cole's self-reported data submitted to the San Francisco Bay Regional Water Quality Control Board, which indicates exceedances of receiving water limits for copper and zinc. *See* Attachment 2. As explained above, these sample results may not fully reflect the extent of pollution coming from the Facility.

Baykeeper alleges that each day that Cole has discharged stormwater from the Facility, Cole's stormwater has contained levels of pollutants that exceeded one or more of the applicable WQS in San Francisco Bay. Baykeeper alleges that Cole has discharged stormwater exceeding WQS from the Facility to San Francisco Bay during at least every significant local rain event over 0.1 inches in the last five (5) years. *See* Attachment 3. Each discharge from the Facility that has caused or contributed, or causes or contributes, to an exceedance of an applicable WQS constitutes a separate violation of the Industrial Stormwater Permit and the CWA. Cole is subject to penalties for each violation of the Industrial Stormwater Permit and the CWA within the past five (5) years.

### **C. Failure to Develop and Implement an Adequate Storm Water Pollution Prevention Plan.**

The Industrial Stormwater Permit requires dischargers to develop and implement an adequate Storm Water Pollution Prevention Plan ("SWPPP"). Industrial Stormwater Permit, Section A(1)(a). The Industrial Stormwater Permit also requires dischargers to make all necessary revisions to existing SWPPPs promptly. *Id.* at Order Part E(2).

The SWPPP must include, among other requirements, the following: a site map, a list of significant materials handled and stored at the site, a description and assessment of

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<sup>8</sup> Basin Plan, Table 3-3 is available at:

[http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/rwqcb2/water\\_issues/programs/planningtmdls/basinplan/web/tab/tab\\_3-03.pdf](http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/rwqcb2/water_issues/programs/planningtmdls/basinplan/web/tab/tab_3-03.pdf) (Last accessed on 10/29/14).

<sup>9</sup> Basin Plan, Table 3-4 is available at:

[http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/rwqcb2/water\\_issues/programs/planningtmdls/basinplan/web/tab/tab\\_3-04.pdf](http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/rwqcb2/water_issues/programs/planningtmdls/basinplan/web/tab/tab_3-04.pdf) (Last accessed on 10/29/14).



all potential pollutant sources, a description of the BMPs that will reduce or prevent pollutants in stormwater discharges, specification of BMPs designed to reduce pollutant discharge to BAT and BCT levels, a comprehensive site compliance evaluation completed each reporting year, and revisions to the SWPPP within 90 days after a facility manager determines that the SWPPP is in violation of any requirements of the Industrial Stormwater Permit. See Industrial Stormwater Permit, Section A.

Based on information available to Baykeeper, Cole has failed to prepare and/or implement an adequate SWPPP and/or to revise the SWPPP to satisfy each of the requirements of Section A of the Industrial Stormwater Permit. For example, Cole's SWPPP does not include, and Cole has not implemented, adequate BMPs designed to reduce pollutant levels in discharges to BAT and BCT levels in accordance with Section A(8) of the Industrial Stormwater Permit, as evidenced by the data in Attachment 2.

Accordingly, Cole has violated the CWA each and every day that it has failed to develop and/or implement an adequate SWPPP meeting all of the requirements of Section A of the Industrial Stormwater Permit, and Cole will continue to be in violation every day until it develops and/or implements an adequate SWPPP. Cole is subject to penalties for each violation of the Industrial Stormwater Permit and the CWA occurring within the past five (5) years.

**D. Failure to Develop and Implement an Adequate Monitoring and Reporting Program and to Perform Annual Comprehensive Site Compliance Evaluations.**

The Industrial Stormwater Permit requires facility operators to develop and implement a Monitoring and Reporting Program ("MRP"). Industrial Stormwater Permit, Section B(1) and Order Part E(3). The Industrial Stormwater Permit requires that the MRP ensure that each facility's stormwater discharges comply with the Discharge Prohibitions, Effluent Limitations, and Receiving Water Limitations specified in the Industrial Stormwater Permit. *Id.* at Section B(2). Facility operators must ensure that their MRP practices reduce or prevent pollutants in stormwater and authorized non-stormwater discharges as well as evaluate and revise their practices to meet changing conditions at the facility. *Id.* This may include revising the SWPPP as required by Section A of the Industrial Stormwater Permit. The MRP must measure the effectiveness of BMPs used to prevent or reduce pollutants in stormwater and authorized non-stormwater discharges, and facility operators must revise the MRP whenever appropriate. *Id.* at Section B(2). The Industrial Stormwater Permit requires facility operators to visually observe and collect samples of stormwater discharges from all drainage areas. *Id.* at Section B(7). Facility operators are also required to provide an explanation of monitoring methods describing how the facility's monitoring program will satisfy these objectives. *Id.* at Section B(10).

Cole has been operating the Facility with an inadequately-developed and/or inadequately-implemented MRP, in violation of the substantive and procedural requirements set forth in Section B of the Industrial Stormwater Permit. For example, the



data in Attachment 2 indicates that Cole's monitoring program has not ensured that stormwater discharges are in compliance with the Discharge Prohibitions, Effluent Limitations, and Receiving Water Limitations of the Industrial Stormwater Permit as required by Section B(2). The monitoring program has not resulted in practices at the Facility that adequately reduce or prevent pollutants in stormwater as required by Section B(2). Similarly, the data in Attachment 2 indicate that Cole's MRP has not effectively identified or responded to compliance problems at the Facility or resulted in effective revision of BMPs in use or the Facility's SWPPP to address such ongoing problems as required by Section B(2).

In addition, Cole's MRP is inadequate because Cole has been collecting stormwater samples that do not adequately reflect pollution coming from its industrial activities. Section B(7)(a) of the Industrial Stormwater Permit requires Cole to "collect samples of storm water discharges from all drainage areas that represent the quality and quantity of the facility's storm water discharges." Section B(5)(c)(ii) requires facilities to sample for "[t]oxic chemicals and other pollutants that are likely to be present in storm water discharges in significant quantities," while Section B(5)(c)(iii) requires facilities to sample for the specific analytical parameters listed in Table D of the Industrial Stormwater Permit. For automobile salvage yards, these parameters are TSS, iron, lead, and aluminum. Yet Cole has failed to measure its samples for aluminum and iron. As such, Cole has failed to comply with Sections B(5)(c) and B(7)(a) of the Industrial Stormwater Permit.

Finally, Cole's MRP is inadequate because Cole has not been collecting stormwater discharge samples from all drainage areas. Cole's annual reports indicate there is one discharge point located on 12th Street. However, Baykeeper volunteers, when investigating the Facility, identified a discharge point from the Facility on Pine Street. Because Cole has failed to sample stormwater discharges from this discharge point, Cole has failed to comply with Section B(7) of the Industrial Stormwater Permit.

As a result of Cole's failure to adequately develop and/or implement an adequate MRP at the Facility, Cole has been in daily and continuous violation of the Industrial Stormwater Permit and the CWA each and every day for the past five (5) years. These violations are ongoing. Cole will continue to be in violation of the monitoring and reporting requirements each day that Cole fails to adequately develop and/or implement an effective MRP at the Facility. Cole is subject to penalties for each violation of the Industrial Stormwater Permit and the CWA occurring for the last five (5) years.

#### **E. Discharges Without Permit Coverage.**

Section 301(a) of the CWA prohibits the discharge of any pollutant into waters of the United States unless the discharge is authorized by a NPDES permit issued pursuant to section 402 of the CWA. *See* 33 U.S.C. §§ 1311(a), 1342. Cole sought coverage for the Facility under the Industrial Stormwater Permit, which states that any discharge from an industrial facility not in compliance with the Industrial Stormwater Permit "must be either eliminated or permitted by a separate NPDES permit." Industrial Stormwater

Permit, Order Part A(1). Because Cole has not obtained coverage under a separate NPDES permit and has failed to eliminate discharges not permitted by the Industrial Stormwater Permit, each and every discharge from the Facility described herein not in compliance with the Industrial Stormwater Permit has constituted and will continue to constitute a discharge without CWA permit coverage in violation of section 301(a) of the CWA, 33 U.S.C. § 1311(a).

#### **IV. PERSONS RESPONSIBLE FOR THE VIOLATIONS.**

Cole Brothers Auto Wrecking, Floyd Cole, and Ray Cole are the persons responsible for the violations at the Facility described above.

#### **V. NAME AND ADDRESS OF NOTICING PARTY.**

Our name, address, and telephone number is as follows:

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#### **VI. COUNSEL.**

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#### **VII. REMEDIES.**

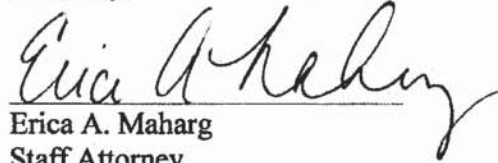
Baykeeper intends, at the close of the 60-day notice period or thereafter, to file a citizen suit under CWA section 505(a) against Cole for the above-referenced violations. Baykeeper will seek declaratory and injunctive relief to prevent further CWA violations pursuant to CWA sections 505(a) and (d), 33 U.S.C. § 1365(a) and (d), and such other relief as permitted by law. In addition, Baykeeper will seek civil penalties pursuant to CWA section 309(d), 33 U.S.C. § 1319(d), and 40 C.F.R. § 19.4, against Cole in this action. The CWA imposes civil penalty liability of up to \$37,500 per day per violation for violations occurring after January 12, 2009. 33 U.S.C. § 1319(d); 40 C.F.R. § 19.4.



Baykeeper will seek to recover attorneys' fees, experts' fees, and costs in accordance with CWA section 505(d), 33 U.S.C. § 1365(d).

As noted above, Baykeeper is willing during the 60-day notice period to discuss effective remedies for the violations noted in this letter. Please contact Erica or George to initiate these discussions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Erica A. Maharg", written over a horizontal line.

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Staff Attorney  
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## **Attachment 1: EPA Benchmarks and Water Quality Standards for Discharges into Marine Waters**

### **A. EPA Benchmarks (Multi-Sector General Permit)**

<b>Parameter</b>	<b>Units</b>	<b>Benchmark value</b>	<b>Source</b>
Total Suspended Solids	mg/L	100	MSGP
Aluminum Total	mg/L	0.75	MSGP
Iron Total	mg/L	1.0	MSGP
Lead Total	mg/L	0.21	MSGP*
Zinc Total	mg/L	0.09	MSGP*
Copper Total	mg/L	0.0048	MSGP*

\* The benchmark values for lead, zinc, and copper are found in the proposed 2013 MSGP, which includes a specific benchmark for discharges into saltwater. All other benchmarks are included in both the 2008 MSGP and the proposed 2013 MSGP.

### **B. Marine Water Quality Standards (Basin Plan, Tables 3-3, 3-3A)**

<b>Parameter</b>	<b>Units</b>	<b>Water Quality Standard</b>	<b>Source</b>
Copper Total	mg/L	0.0094	Basin Plan
Zinc Total	mg/L	0.09	Basin Plan

## **Attachment 2: Table of Exceedances for Cole Brothers Auto Wrecking**

Table containing each stormwater sample which exceeds EPA Benchmarks, Water Quality Standards (WQS), or both. The EPA Benchmarks and Water Quality Standards are listed in Attachment 1. All stormwater samples were collected during the past five years.

<b>No.</b>	<b>Sampling Date</b>	<b>Parameter</b>		<b>Value</b>	<b>Units</b>	<b>Wet Season</b>	<b>Exceeds Bench-mark</b>	<b>Exceeds WQS</b>
1	10/22/2012	Copper Total	=	0.45	mg/L	2012-2013	✓	✓
2	10/22/2012	Zinc Total	=	3.3	mg/L	2012-2013	✓	✓
3	10/3/2011	Copper Total	=	0.53	mg/L	2013-2014	✓	✓
4	10/3/2011	Lead Total	=	0.33	mg/L	2013-2014	✓	✓
5	10/3/2011	Zinc Total	=	3.2	mg/L	2013-2014	✓	✓



### Attachment 3: Alleged Dates of Violations by Cole Brothers Auto Wrecking, October 29, 2009 to October 29, 2014

Days with precipitation one-tenth of an inch or greater, as reported by NOAA's National Climatic Data Center; Oakland, CA station. <http://www.ncdc.noaa.gov/cdo-web/search>

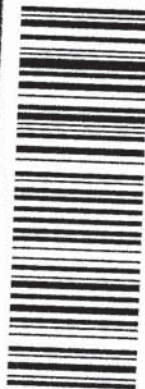
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12/6	1/19	1/30	1/23	2/19	2/8
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12/10	1/21	2/15	2/13	3/6	2/26
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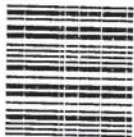
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